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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Docket No. 01-298)

In re the Application of: )  
Sundar Raman et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/849,834 ) Group Art Unit: 2645  
Filed: May 4, 2001 ) Examiner: Allan Hoosain  
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD TO ALLOW SIMPLE ) Confirmation No.: 2255  
IP MOBILE NODES TO OPERATE )  
SEAMLESSLY IN A MOBILE IP NETWORK )  
WITH TRUE ROAMING CAPABILITIES )

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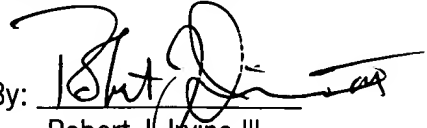
**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Sir:

In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a. Response to Final Office Action mailed December 14, 2004; and
  - b. Return Receipt Postcard.
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION  
MAILED DECEMBER 14, 2004**

Dear Sir:

The Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in response to Final Office Action mailed December 14, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application. Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper, and Remarks begin on page 8.